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TO: AHCCCS Contracted Laboratories

FROM: Judy Kessinger, CQM Administrative Secretary III 

SUBJECT: Approved Laboratory Requirements under ARS 36-2903.Q

Attached is the annual list of Quality Improvement Projects and Laboratory Requirements that have been approved under ARS 36-2903.Q., which became effective on August 6, 1999 (See www.azleg.state.az.us/ars/36/2903.htm).

The Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) has approved these projects as meeting the statutory criteria for quality improvement activities under state and federal reporting requirements. AHCCCS Health Plans and Program Contractors may request the lab results data from contracted laboratories as specified under the law.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Kessinger at (602) 417-4410.

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